

DEATH MAY FOLLOW ROW OVER MONKEY

Say Owner Hit Mrs. Levitz Because She Complained Against Pet.

The antics of a monkey owned by Isaac Amersky, of No. 620 Third avenue, Brooklyn, had led to the indirect cause of the death of Mrs. Rachel Levitz, of No. 624 Third avenue, and the holding of Amersky for homicide. Mrs. Levitz's ante-mortem statement was taken to-day, and because of allegations she made Amersky was arrested, arraigned in Butler street police court and held to await the result of her injuries.

Amersky keeps a saloon. A friend sent him the monkey two weeks ago, and before long the new arrival had become a neighborhood nuisance. It appeared to be impossible to keep him in the saloon, and he roamed at will around the neighborhood, frightening women and little girls and creating huge amusement for men and little boys.

Mrs. Levitz, who is sixty-two years old, was passing Amersky's saloon on Sunday when the monkey ran out, jumped upon her and tore her gown. She went to the police station and complained against the animal as a nuisance. A policeman was sent to Amersky's place, but could not find the monkey.

Mrs. Levitz and her daughter Ida on their way to market yesterday were accosted by Amersky. Both women swore that the saloon-keeper knocked Mrs. Levitz down with such force that her skull was cracked on the pavement. Ida also asserts that Amersky assaulted her. Mrs. Levitz's condition became so grave this afternoon that the physician in charge of her case notified the police and the arrest of Amersky followed.

HOT CHASE AFTER DIAMOND THIEF

Asked to Be Shown Tray of Rings, Grabbed One and Ran.

After a lively chase extending over several blocks Patrolman Fitzpatrick, of the East Fifty-first street station, today captured a man who gave his name as August Haack, twenty-two years, of No. 235 East Eighty-fifth street, employed as porter by W. Ludwig Schukne, a furniture dealer, at No. 425 Fifth avenue. Haack was taken to Police Headquarters, photographed and exhibited before the detectives.

Haack entered the store of Abraham Koppel, a jeweler of No. 73 Third avenue, and asked to be shown some rings. Several trays were shown to him, but Haack was not satisfied and asked to be shown some diamonds. While Koppel's attention was attracted in another direction, Haack is charged, picked up a ring valued at \$100 and fled and took to his heels through the door.

LAWYERS LOSE OUT IN RACE WITH DEATH.

Steckler Brothers Hurried Trial of Railroad Damage Suit, but Client Died Before Case Ended.

Despite the best efforts of Alfred and Charles Steckler in behalf of Michael Hannan, who was fearfully injured by being hurled from an Amsterdam avenue electric car, they lost in a race with death, and the suit they brought against the New York City Railway Company for \$100,000 damages was suspended before Justice Blanton in the Supreme Court today.

Hannan was president of a Brooklyn concern, with an income of \$10,000 a year. He lived at One Hundred and forty-fifth street and Convent avenue. He and his wife were waiting for a car when it suddenly started up and he was hurled out on the sidewalk.

ALLISON AMENDMENTS TO THE RATE BILL IN.

WASHINGTON, May 8.—Senator Allison today presented the Allison amendments to the Railroad Rate bill. They will be printed and he over until they are reached in the regular order.

\$5 A DAY IN PRIZES.

On Thursday a new serial, "The Mystery of Manhattan," will begin in The Evening World. Each installment will contain some startling photographs and a story. A prize of \$5 will be paid to the readers who identify these scenes. For full particulars see Thursday's Evening World.

ELEPHANT EATS UP \$5,000 IN DIAMONDS

Stock of L. S. Barnett, Installation Dealer, Vanishes by the Sad Coney Waves.

Gentle reader, if you have never met a man who sells diamonds on the installment plan you cannot possibly realize the state of mind of L. S. Barnett, installation diamond dealer, with \$5,000 worth of his stock reposing in the dark, mysterious recesses of an elephant. A circumstance adding to the poignant anguish of Mr. Barnett is doubt as to which of two elephants is acting as safe deposit vault for the gems. Thus far neither animal has given a sign, but it's early yet.

It happened at Luna Park this afternoon. Many of the animals that will take part in the show have been removed to the stables alongside Coney Island Creek, and with them are their opulent trainers and owners. There is something about association with animals that incites in human beings an appetite for precious stones, and none knows it better than the man who sells them for a slight payment down and a stated sum weekly, as long as the purchaser lives. And the hawking for diamonds possessed by trainers appears to be shared by elephants, as Mr. Barnett's experience proves.

It came to pass that Mr. Barnett, Herman Weedon, the lion man, and others were sitting around on trunks in the animal house talking shop. Mr. Barnett had a couple of handfuls of unset diamonds in white tissue paper packages, which he tossed around with a reckless abandon that was almost horrifying. Mr. Weedon was pensively sitting peanut on top of a paper bag, and occasionally he would slip a nut of it to a couple of Mundy's little four-year-old elephants, stationed just behind Mr. Barnett.

Went in the Trunk. Well, anybody can guess the rest. Over Mr. Barnett's shoulder sneaked a long, sinuous, snake-like object. There was a slight rustling noise. The long, sinuous, snake-like object was withdrawn. Mr. Barnett gazed at a spot on the trunk where there had reposed two seconds before \$5,000 worth of near-Koh-i-noors. They were gone.

The shriek of misery that Mr. Barnett emitted scared a painter working on top of the observation tower. With his eyes popping out of his head the diamond dealer gazed at Mundy's little four-year-old elephants, stationed just behind Mr. Barnett.

MRS. WILLIAMS TO BE RETURNED TO ENGLAND

Woman Arrested in J. P. Morgan's Office to Go Back in Custody of Her Son.

The examination by Referee James J. Neale into the case of Mrs. J. P. Morgan's wife, who is in receipt of \$2,000 annual income from the estate of William, the Baltimore millionaire, whose widow she claims to be, was to have had Mrs. Williams herself as its leading figure today.

When the case comes up again in all probability Justice Greenbaum will refer it into the hands of her son. When the case comes up again in all probability Justice Greenbaum will refer it into the hands of her son. When the case comes up again in all probability Justice Greenbaum will refer it into the hands of her son.

REPENTS NOW OF HER RUNAWAY MATCH.

Hyman Rees came from Russia and Lillian Hermann from Germany. He is young and athletic, and she as pretty as a June rose. They met and loved and ran away and got married last August, and after much pleading were forgiven and had a second celebration of their marriage in September. Lillian became mistress of Hyman's delicatessen at No. 77 Avenue D and of the pretty flat upstairs.

In November Lillian went home to her mother, Mrs. Hannah Hermann, of No. 63 East Eighth street, and now she is suing for a separation, and her counsel today asked Justice Scott to grant \$50 weekly alimony and \$500 counsel fee. Hyman is one of Sam McKim's constituents, and the Republican leader appeared in his behalf to oppose the motion.

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WALL STREET.

TUESDAY, May 8.
In the main, the course of the stock market today justified the boasts of the leading bull operators that all of the bears had crawled to cover. The bulls had the field practically to themselves. With Reading still the leader, all of the active stocks advanced. Uncommon excitement prevailed in the Reading crowd in the first hour, when this stock was rushed up from 128 3/4 to 130 1/2 on enormous transactions. To the casual observer on the edge of the trading-room floor it seemed as if everybody was trying to buy Reading. Where all of the stock came from was a puzzle. A great deal of it undoubtedly had been bought by speculators at the low prices last week. The old Reading pool was believed to be the heaviest buyer today.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit also took another merry swing upward, still further demonstrating that there was substantial in the "bills" distributed yesterday morning. This stock, which rose from 77 1/2 to 81 1/2 yesterday, sold in large quantities around \$2 and \$3 today. Flower & Co. and Jacob Field were heavy buyers of Brooklyn Rapid Transit and their brokers stated on the floor of the Exchange that this company's earnings this year would show 7 1/4 per cent on the stock.

The Copper stocks, United States Steel, American Smelting, St. Paul and Union Pacific developed pronounced strength as the day wore on. Backers of Union Pacific explained that there would have been a big boom in that stock but for the uncertainty as to how far the San Francisco disaster will cut into the earnings of the system. A representative of the Union Pacific management says that the diversion of traffic from San Francisco to Seattle should not be construed as indicating the permanent policy of the Harriman lines. There is no intention it is asserted, of taking any traffic away from San Francisco that can be handled there. Mr. Harriman's friends declare that the full influence of the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific Companies will be used to restore San Francisco's commercial supremacy on the Pacific Coast. Even if Harriman gets a terminal facilities he wants in Seattle that city will only become third in importance of the Pacific Coast ports so far as the Harriman lines are concerned.

The strike in American Ice shares was accompanied by rumors that the price of ice is to be advanced 50 per cent. Insiders were apparently picking up all of the stock in sight. One of the principal buyers of Ice shares said that the company did not intend to advance the price of the commodity to its regular trade. Some new customers may have to pay a little more than 40 cents a year, and the New York Central is in the market for 100,000 tons for 1907 delivery. All of the steel companies are helped by the heavy demand for rails, and the recent advance in the price of Tennessee Coal and Iron stock is attributed to the benefit that this company derives from the sale of its open heart rails, which bring \$1 more a ton than the Northern rails. The T. C. & I. company owns about 800,000 tons of Southern ore, which has been found to make a steel rail of uncommon toughness and durability. The mills of

AMERICAN STOCKS ADVANCE IN LONDON.

LONDON, May 8.—Money, though abundant in the market, today was in strong demand. Operations on the Stock Exchange were overshadowed by the monetary situation and fears of a rise in the bank rate, but during the afternoon Consols improved sharply on a rumor that the Bank of France had arranged to release \$5,000,000 in gold weekly until the American demand is satisfied. Home Rails failed to benefit by the encouraging Board of Trade returns. Foreigners were dull in the absence of Paris support. Americans opened quiet but about par, ruled irregular during the forenoon, and had an easy tendency in the afternoon, but the Wall Street advices

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500 Silk Petticoats, made of fine quality plain or changeable taffetas. Complete range of light, medium and dark colors, as well as black.

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Black and white striped Silk Petticoats.

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Colored Dress Fabrics.
900 yards, imported (French) Voile. Colors, as well as cream, white and black. 45 inches wide.
600 yards, fancy English Mohairs and Sicilians. 40 and 44 inches wide.

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Tan and Oxford grey Storm Coats.

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Three-quarter length taffetas silk and pongee Coats.

19.50 and 25.00
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TECHNICAL SCHOOL FOR HEBREW GIRLS.

It is in a New Six-Story Building at Second Avenue and Fifteenth Street.

The magnificent six-story building at Second Avenue and Fifteenth street, opened to-day as the new home of the Hebrew Technical School for Girls, is a monument to the philanthropy of Mrs. Minnie D. Louis, who thirty years ago started in a small way at No. 257 Henry street to fit young women of her race to earn their own living. In the lapse of years 600 girls have gone out of the school who are now earning \$300,141 annually, an average of \$1 a day. The new building represents an outlay of \$100,000.

Mrs. Louis was present at the ceremonies last night and received many congratulations. She, as well as Mrs. Esther Herrmann, who is also known for her many charities, was complimented by Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University; Charles E. Hughes, Justice Leventritt, of the Supreme Court; and Nathaniel Myers, of No. 25 West Fifty-seventh street. Many guests were present due to the efforts of Mr. Myers that the structure has been erected.

TO SEND DESPONDENT MAN BACK TO AUSTRIA.

Essex Market Raises Money for Passage of Artist Who Twice Tries Suicide.

Simon Lipschitz, twenty-five years old, an Austrian, who gave up his occupation as an artist, was arraigned in the Essex Market Court before Magistrate Finn today on a charge of attempting suicide, and as a result he will be sent back to his home in Austria having his expenses paid by persons connected with the court. Lipschitz on April 25 last jumped into the East River, and a month before he attempted his life by cutting his throat. Asked for the reason of his being tired of life, the prisoner said he was hungry and couldn't get work. "Where are the east side philanthropists?" asked Magistrate Finn. "I could find this man work on the west side in a minute." It was explained to the Magistrate that Lipschitz was too weak to work, so in the end it was decided to send the man back to Austria, and the hat passed among those in court produced \$20. Magistrate Finn said he would make up the balance necessary for his fare and expenses on the journey. He will leave on Saturday next.

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Best quality Axminster Rugs. 9x12 feet.

29.50
value 40.00
Best quality Body Brussels Rugs. 9x12 feet.

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China and Japan Mattings. 7.00, 8.00, 10.75, 12.00 and 22.00

per roll of 40 yards
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Cres grass Matting. 36 inches wide.

35c per yard
Oriental Carpets and Rugs cleaned, repaired and stored.

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About 175 Brass Bedsteads. Models to be discontinued.

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85 Bedsteads. Two models, with 2 inch pillars, swell front, continuous tubes, three-quarter inch filling. Finished with English lacquer.

17.00 and 22.00
usual prices 28.00 and 38.00
Craftsman Furniture, suitable for Summer homes, studios, camps and cottages.

Odd models, including several to be discontinued,—at one-third less than usual prices.

Chairs, Rockers, Settees, Bedsteads, Tables, Cabinets, Morris and Armchairs, Table Desks and Nursery Furniture.

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Fine, nainsook and muslin Underclothing, tastefully trimmed with lace and embroideries. New square and round neck. Sleeves of various length for Summer wear.

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A manufacturer's surplus stock bought at half price especially for the Annual May Sale.

\$8.95
FOR
\$20 SUITS

Chiffon Taffeta Eton Suits & Silk Dresses.

One Dress is Like the Illustration, with yoke of imitation baby Irish lace, full ripple circular skirt, with extra fold, in black, as well as all other shades and checks, a dress sold all around us for \$19.75 and \$20.00.
\$25 and \$30 Suits at \$15
Suits made of French chiffon taffeta—new sun gray skirt and very French bolero jacket, lined with white satin. These suits come in black only, \$30 value for \$15. Other great specials; tropical worsteds and checked mohairs, as well as chiffon pajamas, every single one of these suits sold for at least \$25. Everything will be here in the great May Sale at \$15.

Annual May Sale

Monday was the biggest day the store ever had. That wouldn't have been so if the values had not been exactly as we represented. It is one thing to bring a crowd into the store and another to sell merchandise. But with the values so irresistibly attractive it required no salesmanship to sell goods. At 10 o'clock the buying became so enthusiastic that we could hardly wait upon the crowds fast enough, and that's the way it continued throughout the day. To-day it's the same story.

To-Morrow and Thursday

New lots of all the sensational values will be ready—Come early, if possible.

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| Wash Goods, 40c, silk and cotton checks | 25c | 29c Women's Low Neck Ribbed Vests | 15c |
| 60c. Bleached Sheets, 72x90—Special | 35c | Hand-Made Princesses Laces—24c, 39c, 69c, and a yard | 79c |
| \$1.00 Women's White Canvas Oxford Ties | 59c | 29c Women's Black Lisle Thread Hose | 19c |
| \$1.50 White Lawn Waist—Special | 98c | \$1.00 Lawn Kimono Sacques—Special | 59c |
| 79c. Gray Check Dress Goods, a yard | 59c | 29c. Fringed Yoke Kimono Sacques | 17c |
| \$2.00 White Linen Coaching Parasols | 89c | \$2.50 Babies' Plique Coats—Sizes to 3 years | \$1.48 |
| \$15.75 Misses' and Juniors' Suits | \$10.98 | 75c. Imported Post Card Albums (200 cards) | 25c |
| 29c. Kleinfert's Hook-on Hose Supporters | 19c | \$1.00 Imported Pump Atomizers—Special | 29c |
| \$1.00 Lulu Pompadour, natural wavy hair | 49c | 50c. Liebig's Beet, Iron and Wine or Hydrogen, at | 25c |

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Extra heavy grade—best colors of red and green—also mottled effect—showing the TREMENDOUS SAVING IN THIS SALE.

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| 65c Brussels Carpet, all wool, made, laid and lined, at | 64c | \$9.98 Rug, 7.6 x 10.6, at \$5.98 | \$5.98 |
| 55c Ingrain Carpet, 39c Granite Carpet, \$6 Granite Art Squares | 29c | \$14.98 French Body Brussels Rugs, 9x12 | \$9.98 |
| | 19c | \$22.98 Axminster Rugs, 9 x 9 feet... | \$11.98 |
| | \$1.49 | \$24.50 Imperial Axminster, 9 x 12. | \$14.98 |

8 to 11 Only—Matting Remnants

NOW for a bargain—5,000 yards of perfect quality Matting; worth up to 40c a yard in useful lengths; up to 10 yards..... 10c, 12c and 15c per yd.
\$1.10 Inlaid Lino-leums..... 20c
Cork Carpets Last Forever—On Sale 1 Hour Only—8 to 9
2 Hours Only, 9 to 11, 2,000 remnants of 49c oilcloth, at 16c per yard..... 29c
3 Hours Only, 8 to 11, 27c per sq. yard for 85c Genuine Cork Lino-leum; useful size, new patterns, 5,000 new remnants..... 19c
All Day Sale, 44c a yard for 95c imported cork sheet lino-leum—3 and 4 yards wide—extra large quantity..... 44c

SUNDAY WANTS WORK MONDAY MORNING WONDERS.